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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Jocelyn G. Boyd, Esquire Chief Clerk & Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: South Carolina Energy Freedom Act (House Bill 3659) Proceeding Related to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-37-40 Integrated Resource Plans for Lockhart Power Company **Docket No. 2019-227-E**

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Pursuant to the cover letter filed with the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff's ("ORS") witness Sandonato Exhibit AMS-1 on October 20, 2020, ORS requested that the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") provisionally treat Exhibit AMS-1 as confidential and keep under seal. In the cover letter, ORS requested that the Commission grant Lockhart Power Company ("LPC") fourteen (14) days to respond and indicate the specific portions of Exhibit AMS-1 that it believes are entitled to confidential protection. Furthermore, ORS committed that upon receipt of LPC's designations, ORS would review the designations made by LPC and attempt in good faith to reach resolution.

ORS and LPC have communicated regarding LPC's confidential designations in Exhibit AMS-1. While ORS reserves its right to make objections to a utilities' designations of confidentiality on a case-by-case basis, in this case, ORS does not object to the designations that LPC has made.

Please see enclosed an Exhibit AMS-1 in which only specific portions are redacted, as requested by counsel for LPC. ORS respectfully requests that the enclosed be filed as the public version of Exhibit AMS-1, while the Commission maintain the version filed by ORS on October 20, 2020, as the complete and unredacted copy under seal.

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Sincerely,

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Encl.

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